

**BEFORE THE BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS  
OF THE STATE OF NEVADA**

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**In The Matter of Charges and** )  
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**Complaint Against** )  
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**FREDERICK KRAUS, M.D.,** )  
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**Respondent.** )  
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**Case No. 09-28898-1**

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**NEVADA STATE BOARD OF  
MEDICAL EXAMINERS**

**COMPLAINT**

The Investigative Committee of the Nevada State Board of Medical Examiners, composed at the time of approval of the filing of the instant complaint, of Charles N. Held, M.D. and Ms. Renee West and Theodore Berndt, M.D., having a reasonable basis to believe that Frederick Kraus, M.D., hereinafter referred to as Dr. Kraus, has violated the provisions of NRS Chapter 630, hereby issues its formal Complaint, stating the Investigative Committee's charges and allegations, as follows:

1. Dr. Kraus currently holds a special purpose license in active status, and was so licensed by the Nevada State Board of Medical Examiners, on July 14, 2004 (License No. SP032), pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 630 of the Nevada Revised Statutes, and at all times addressed herein was so licensed.

2. Dr. Kraus was granted a license to practice medicine in the state of Colorado on August 13, 2004.

3. On June 11, 2009, the Colorado State Board of Medical Examiners imposed discipline upon Dr. Kraus in the form of a letter of admonition regarding Dr. Kraus's failure to correctly diagnose an aortic dissection in reading a CT scan of a patient's chest, abdomen, and pelvis.

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**Count I**

4. Nevada Revised Statute Section 630.301(3) provides that any disciplinary action taken on a license to practice medicine taken by another state is grounds for initiation of disciplinary action against a licensee.

5. The disciplinary action imposed against Dr. Kraus by the Colorado State Board of Medical Examiners constitutes a violation of NRS 630.301(3) and accordingly Dr. Kraus is subject to discipline by the Nevada State Board of Medical Examiners as provided in Section 630.352 of the Nevada Revised Statutes.

**WHEREFORE**, the Investigative Committee prays:

1. That the Nevada State Board of Medical Examiners fix a time and place for a formal hearing;

2. That the Nevada State Board of Medical Examiners give Dr. Kraus notice of the charges herein against him, and when appropriate, the time and place set for the hearing, and the possible sanctions against him;

3. That the Nevada State Board of Medical Examiners determine what sanctions it to impose for the violation or violations committed by Dr. Kraus; and

4. That the Nevada State Board of Medical Examiners make, issue and serve on Dr. Kraus its findings of facts, conclusions of law and order, in writing, that includes the sanctions imposed; and

5. That the Nevada State Board of Medical Examiners take such other and further action as may be just and proper in these premises.

DATED this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of December, 2009.

THE NEVADA STATE BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS

By: 

Lyn E. Beggs, Esq.

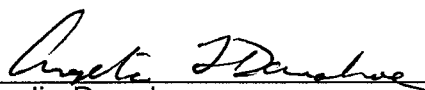
General Counsel and Attorney for the Investigative Committee

**CERTIFICATE OF MAILING**

I hereby certify that I am employed by Nevada State Board of Medical Examiners and that on 22<sup>nd</sup> day of December 2009, I served a file copy of the COMPLAINT, Original SETTLEMENT, WAIVER & CONSENT AGREEMENT and FINGERPRINT INFORMATION, by mailing USPS certified mail to the following:

Frederick Kraus, M.D.  
601 Front Ave. Ste. 502  
Coeur d' Alene, ID 83814

Dated this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of December 2009.

  
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Angelia Donohoe  
Legal Assistant